

COLLEGE OF DESIGN

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA



COMMENCEMENT

Wednesday, May 15, 2019

Northrop Auditorium

HAIL! MINNESOTA

Minnesota, hail to thee!
Hail to thee, our college dear!
Thy light shall ever be
A beacon bright and clear.
Thy sons and daughters true
Will proclaim thee near and far.
They will guard thy fame
And adore thy name;
Thou shalt be their Northern Star.

Like the stream that bends to sea,
Like the pine that seeks the blue
Minnesota, still for thee
Thy sons are strong and true.
From the woods and waters fair;
From the prairies waving far,
At thy call they throng with their shout and song;
Hailing thee their Northern Star.

—*Truman Elwell Rickard & Arthur Wheelock Upson*

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PROCESSIONAL

“Pomp and Circumstance” by Sir Edward Elgar

MACEBEARER

John Cunningham, *Founder, Cunningham Group*

WELCOME

Carol Strohecker, *Dean*

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Tamara Eagle Bull, FAIA, NCARB, AICAE, *President, Encompass Architects, PC*

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Lauren Behrns, *Retail Merchandising BS*

Zheyang Yuan, *Architecture MArch*

Ivan Gil, *Apparel Design BS*

CONGRATULATIONS FROM THE COLLEGE OF DESIGN STUDENT AND ALUMNI BOARD

Mandy Mills (BS'09 Graphic Design)

*Senior Graphic Designer—Brand Design Lab at Target
and Alumni Society President*

PRESENTATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES

Trevor Miller, *Assistant Dean*

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

David J. McMillan, *Regent*

PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2019

Carol Strohecker, *Dean*

The graduates will rise and recess as the music begins.
The audience should remain seated until the
graduating class and faculty have left the auditorium.

RECESSIONAL

“Earle of Oxford Marche” by William Byrd

COMMENCEMENT RECEPTION

All candidates and guests are invited to a reception
on the Northrop Plaza immediately following the ceremony.

**WE ARE GRATEFUL TO ALPHA RHO CHI FOR THEIR
GENEROUS SUPPORT OF OUR COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY.**

**MANY THANKS TO THESE GRADUATING STUDENTS WHO SERVED
ON THE STUDENT SPEAKER SELECTION COMMITTEE:**

Josie Adkins (Graphic Design), Marissa Hank (Retail Merchandising),
Neva Hubbert (Architecture), Ryan Welters (Interior Design),
Annie Yang (Apparel Design)

*Music provided by Stone Arch Brass
Soloist: Kate Lamb*

TAMARA EAGLE BULL, FAIA, NCARB, AICAE

Tammy Eagle Bull, FAIA, NCARB, AICAE, became an architect in fulfillment of a long-term family vision. Long before she was born, her grandfather told her father and uncle that one of them should go to architecture school and the other should study law. His reasoning was that someday their Oglala Lakota community in Pine Ridge, South Dakota, would need architects and lawyers and it would be best if those professionals came from within. Racism in the 1950s impacted these career opportunities, and it would be a generation later when Tammy fulfilled her grandfather's wish as an architect working with her tribe.

Tammy is the co-founder of Encompass Architects, P.C., a national firm headquartered in Lincoln, Nebraska. She received the Master of Architecture degree from the University of Minnesota–Twin Cities, and is recognized as the first Native American woman to be licensed in the United States. She is an enrolled member of the Oglala Lakota nation. Tammy has 30 years of experience and has received the designation of Fellow within the American Institute of Architects (AIA). This honor distinguishes those who have made a significant contribution to the profession and society, and who exemplify architectural excellence. In 2018, Tammy was the recipient of the AIA's Whitney M. Young, Jr., Award for her work with Native American communities. The award honors an architect who embodies social responsibility and actively addresses a relevant issue.

THE UNIVERSITY MACE

The University's first official mace made its debut in 1961 at the inauguration of Meredith Wilson (1960–67), 110 years after the University was founded and eight centuries after the mace's warlike image faded and it became a symbol of peaceful leadership. Art professor Philip Morton designed the University's mace, choosing a star as its crowning feature. The University machine shop made the mace with a solid aluminum handle set with the regents' seal and a 4-inch crystal sphere surmounted by the aluminum "Star of the North." Carrying the mace is a great honor accorded to someone who is being singled out for tribute. Carrying the mace is a great honor accorded to someone who is being singled out for tribute. John W. Cuninghame, FAIA, alumnus of the College and founder of Cuninghame Group Architecture, has long been a champion of innovative, sustainable, people-driven design, while demonstrating a firm commitment to equity in the profession.

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

This program contains the names of College of Design students who have applied to graduate from fall semester 2018 through fall semester 2019. This is not an official University of Minnesota graduation list.

HONORS

Graduation with designated Latin honors (*cum laude*, *magna cum laude*, *summa cum laude*) is limited to students who participate in the University of Minnesota Honors Program. Students must complete honors requirements, including a capstone or thesis project in their major, and, in their last 60 University of Minnesota credits, maintain a 3.50 GPA for *cum laude*, a 3.66 GPA for *magna cum laude*, and a 3.75 GPA for *summa cum laude* honors. To graduate with distinction, a student must have a cumulative GPA of 3.75 or higher at graduation. To graduate with high distinction, a student must have a cumulative GPA of 3.90 or higher. Candidates for academic honors are noted in this program.

PRESIDENT'S EMERGING SCHOLAR

The (PES) program is a four-year opportunity for select undergraduate students with diverse backgrounds and characteristics. There are approximately 400 students from various colleges graduating from the PES program this spring. Graduates are honored with a purple commencement cord.

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

APPAREL DESIGN BS

Caroline Anne Albers
Ellen Becker
Elizabeth Cobb
Emily Dufault
Alexis Frey, *candidate for distinction*
Ivan Gil
Austin McCartney
Sarah Ramsay

Karli Rastetter
Genevieve Romain
Madeline Rooney
Hailey Strobel
Abigail Talapa
Annie Yang, *candidate for distinction*
Madison Young

ARCHITECTURE BS

Nathan Anderson
Yechan Baik
Kyle Ray Balster
Maxwell Boedigheimer
Mikaila Bolin
Min Choi
Trevor Desautel
Benjamin Dosch
Nathan Ehrlich
Jared Eichberger
Brittini Faddoul
Leilen Farias, *with distinction*
Thomas Fox
Tyler Gaeth
Dennis Garvey
Jillian Gelle, *candidate for distinction*
Zishi Han
Eric Hastings
Nicholas Hess
Josh Himes
Rebecca Isnardi
Jared Johnson, *summa cum laude*
Kristin Just
Austin Kedrowski
Victoria B Kern

Gabrielle Lee Laliberte
Maura McDaniel,
candidate for high distinction
Joshua Meiners
Andrew Mercier
Kelly Mork
Banning Mucha
Ian Nielsen-Fox
Javkhlan Nyamjav, *with distinction*
Calvin Rogers
Jonathan Ross
Austin Rudin
Hana Saifullah, *with high distinction*
Adam Schellberg
Drew Tangren
Emmy Tong
Charlie Townsley, *summa cum laude*
Alejandro Vite Lopez
Luke Walsh
Joseph Wetherille,
President's Emerging Scholar
Sean Whitney II
Belinda Xiong
Xueting Yu
Joshua Yuan

BACHELOR OF DESIGN IN ARCHITECTURE BDA

Eugene Agyili
Sutath Amphavannasouk
Beth Averill
Amanda Benke, *candidate for high distinction*
Brooke Berge
Andrew Bialon
Ari Bible
Shawn Bouton-Keith
Emmett Breen
Eamonn Casey
Jasmine Countney
Brennan Daily
Colten Danks
Judy De Veyra
Jocelyne Dougan
David Enrrique Michel
David Fasbender
Jake Fifer
Gina Frenette
Yaniv Garama
Joey Gorgen
Jack Grundmeier
Hailey Haferman
Gabrielle Hanssen
Mohamed Hassan
Benjamin Holewinski
Blake Invie, *President's Emerging Scholar*
Alden Jaakola, *candidate for distinction*
Cody Johannsen
Jacqueline Johnston
Natalie Jokinen
Sasha Karleusa
Kanta Kikubo
Claire Kim
Quinlan Klett
Michelle Kohnen
Jack Koolmo
Maggie Krantz, *candidate for distinction*
Meghan Kress
Kailee Kriegel

Alexandra Marguerite Liapis
Austin Lind
Hunter Lutz
Kurtis Machtemes
Jakob Mahla
Jesus Martinez Ramirez
Louis Masonick
Thomas Mathews
Liam Matteson
Timothy Mayer
Gabriele Meissner
Ethan Miller
Carter Neuenschwander
Lee Jin Olson
Ariah Orr
Julie Panek
Pranay Patel
Timothy Paulson
Maia Peterson, *with distinction*
Rachel Riddle, *candidate for high distinction*
Alex Ruhland
Abel Santos Meeker
Janneke Schaap
Jacob Schoeneck
Talia Sellers
Lali Abdissa Shupare
Grant Simons
Jacob Skraba
Evan Super
Kyle Towberman
Heta Tuuri
Mimi Vo
Zhuofeng Wang
Parker Watson, *candidate for distinction*
Emma Wenzel
Katherine Wheeler
Braxton Wiebusch
Jingyuan Yao
Tianyu Zhai

GRAPHIC DESIGN BFA

Josie Adkins, *candidate for distinction*

Juseon Ahn, *candidate for distinction*

Mona Aldawood

Rachel Anderson

Mikaela Armstrong, *candidate for distinction*

Allison Aubrey

Jessica Austin, *cum laude*

Alexandra Bausch

Adriana Belinski

Raquel Benedict, *candidate for distinction*

Ashley Bernhardt, *candidate for distinction*
and summa cum laude

Emma Bersie

Celia Bizien

Katelyn Bremer, *magna cum laude*

Madeline Bremner, *with high distinction*

Abbi Brokaw, *candidate for distinction*
and summa cum laude

Elyssa Buhl

Grace Chandler, *candidate for distinction*

Nancy Ching, *with distinction*

Breanne Christian

Rebecca Clemons

Alex Colburn

Sarah Corner

Leah Dahlgren

Madison DeMeuse, *candidate for distinction*
and summa cum laude

Kristen Dolge

Peter Dring

Claudia Dubé

Celia Duffee, *candidate for distinction*

Benjamin Egelston

Brooke Eggenberger, *candidate for*
high distinction

Abigail Eilertson, *with distinction*

Nicole Faouen

Bennett Figueroa

Lindsey Freitag

Andy Furness

Megan Gallaway, *candidate for distinction*

Amanda Giordano

Savanna Gohmann, *cum laude*

Jillian Golden

Liam Gonzo

Huihuang Guan

Emily Habegger

Taryn Halterman

Michael Hameister

Joe Hammer

Rita Hark

Samantha Hebel, *candidate for distinction*

Emily Hill, *candidate for distinction*

Marlena Hooks

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Kayla Jambor

Ryan Jarvis

Meg Jenson

Anne Judd

Fatemah Karim

Saurav Kattel, *President's Emerging Scholar*

Mihee Kim

Samantha King

McKenna Kleiner, *summa cum laude*

Elaine Kollaja

Blue Kraus

Katelyn Krebsbach

Taylor Krech

Kendra Krosch, *candidate for distinction*

Ellen Krummel

Christiana Larson, *candidate for*
high distinction

David Lee

Kia Lee

Mitchell Leland

Rachel LeMire

Katherine Liestman

Chanmol Long

Jessica Lund

Kandra Lundstrom, *candidate for distinction*

Anna McKenna, *magna cum laude*

Jeremiah Medeck

Semira Mesfin

Rachel Moore

Jennifer Moss, *candidate for distinction and summa cum laude*
Alexandra Mundy
Kathryn Muto
Diem Nguyen
Jake Nicholas
Alexander Niece
Emily Nihart, *with distinction*
Sophia Norwood
Emily Osiecki
Youngjin Park
Kristin Paulson
Zandra Phouisangiem
Tessa Portuese, *candidate for distinction and summa cum laude*
Kellen Renstrom
Katherine Rhone, *President's Emerging Scholar*
Jenna Richardson, *candidate for distinction*
Victoria Roberts, *candidate for high distinction and summa cum laude*
Caitlin Shepherd, *President's Emerging Scholar*

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Andrea Sorensen
Kelsey Specht
Lizzy Stanke, *candidate for distinction*
Abby Steiger
Rebecca Steinman
Thomas Stublaski
Tara Sullivan
Francine Thompson, *candidate for distinction*
Nick Tietz
Brenda Tran, *with distinction*
Alexandria Ulve
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Man Wang
Jacob Westmore
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Nouchi Yang
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HOUSING STUDIES BS

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Rachael Springman
Emily Walther
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LANDSCAPE DESIGN AND PLANNING BED

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Blake Barnett

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Sean Cochran

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Madeleine Brown

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Breanne Cathey

Joseph Chmiel

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Abigail Howse
Sarah Jacobson
Vanessa Johnson
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GRADUATE DEGREES

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Trevor Kinnard

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